GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3114
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Manufacturing of Medical Devices
Patil Shri Bheemrao Baswanthrao

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has any proposal to remove the anomalies in the duty structure to boost manufacturing of medical devices;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS, ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS AND SHIPPING (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)
(a) to (c): Government vide Notifications No. 4/2016-Customs and 5/2016-Customs dated 19.01.2016 has rationalized the customs duty structure for medical devices to promote their domestic manufacturing. Government considers the rationalization adequate at present.

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